

Church Honors Minister And Wife on Anniversary

Rev. and Mrs. H. Milton Sippel, who celebrated their Silver Wedding anniversary, June 25, were guests of honor at a covered dish dinner on Friday evening, June 24, at the First Christian Church. Members of the congregation and friends gathered for dinner at 6:30. Mrs. Verda Steele and her social committee were in charge of arrangements.

At the close of the dinner hour a beautiful anniversary cake and a silver dollar tree were presented to Rev. and Mrs. Sippel by Walter Levy, chairman of the church board, and Mrs. J. B. Mosley, president of the Christian Women's Fellowship.

The cake of three tiers was topped with a decoration of

bells and the numbers "twenty-five" in silver. Mrs. Eleanor Campbell and Mrs. Lucille Gonta baked and decorated the cake. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lincoln and Mr. and Mrs. Don Morgan prepared the tree on which silver dollar gifts were hung.

Rev. and Mrs. Sippel were married June 25, 1930, in Guyton, Ga. At that time, Mr. Sippel was minister of the Central Christian Church, Murfreesboro, Tenn. From 1932 to 1946 they served at the First Christian Church, Adel, Iowa; 1946 to 1954, First Christian Church, Lawrence, Kan. In September, 1954, Mr. Sippel came to Torrance as minister of the First Christian Church. The Sippels have three children, Martha, Mary, and Harry.

Patio Party

Mr. and Mrs. James Burchett, 1507 El Prado are entertaining at a patio party at their home today celebrating the holidays.

Their guests will be Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson, Mrs. Mildred Waugh, Mrs. Susan Waugh, Mrs. Helen Scott and James Scott, all of Lomita and San Pedro.

EASTERN GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. McCune J. Beale, 1402 Acacia had as their houseguests for several days last week, Mrs. Mabel Shadle, Mrs. Catherine Souder, Mrs. Blanche Blouch, and Mrs. Marjorie Renard of Leeburg, Pa. The visitors are on a cross-country tour and plan to go to Lake Louise and Banff en route home. Leeburg is the former home of the Beales.



ACCEPTING THE OFFICIAL DUTIES . . . for the coming year of the Torrance-Gardena Soroptimist Club at the installation dinner held Tuesday evening are, from left, Winona Ellis, recording secretary; Alida Dyson of Los Angeles, installing officer; Eddie Walther, new 1955-56 club president; Ruth Smith, second vice president; Mary Pagac, treasurer; Helen Dill, director; Margaret Woolley, corresponding secretary; and Margaret Neff, director. Representatives of neighboring clubs were special guests at the dinner held at a local restaurant.

Soroptimists Install New Officers At Elaborate Dinner Meet June 28

Mrs. Eddie Walther was installed as president of the Torrance-Gardena Soroptimist club at an elaborate dinner party at a local restaurant Tuesday evening, June 28. Conducting the installation was Alida Dyson of the Los Angeles club. Mrs. Dyson has been a Soroptimist for 33 years and has held many local, regional and national offices. A member of the Los Angeles club, third club in the world to be installed, she is still actively engaged in Soroptimist work and business. Proudly installing each officer, she gave each a synopsis of what was expected of her in her new adventure.

Installed with Mrs. Walther to direct the activities of the local club were: Winona Ellis and Margaret Neff, regional delegates; Helen Dill and Margaret Neff, directors; Margaret Woolley, corresponding secretary; Winona Ellis, recording secretary; Mary Pagac, treasurer; Mabel Soules, second vice president; Ruth Smith, first vice president.

Edith Ennis, 1954-55 president was in charge of the meeting which followed a dinner. Lillian Thorne president of the new Palos Verdes-Redondo club opened the meeting with a salute to the flag followed with a prayer by Edna Clayton, president of the Harbor Club. All members introduced themselves and gave their slogans. The president then turned the meeting over to Addie Parks, program chairman.

The club presented Mrs. Ennis with a handsome rhinestone necklace in appreciation for her work during the year.

The meeting was closed with the recitation of the Soroptimist pledge which was led by the new president of the Inglewood club, Opal Malloy.

Others present were: Torrance-Gardena Club: Helen Parrish, Edna Sallus, Lalla Bowen, Edith Ennis, Clara Conner, Kay Doss, Charlotte Lukes, Virginia Tyler, Margaret Herron, Norma Higgenbotham, Pearl Groot, Mary Lemberger, and Helen Rodgers. Harbor Club: Dortha Roberts, Mildred Cannon, Berntha Guidinger, Irene Whitacre, Pat Hawkins, Betty Wiley, Lenore Strum, Dorothy Byme, Marion Young, Edith Carragher, Hazel Whedon, Bernice Snow, Kay Lynch, Jeanne Farrar, and Mae Lake. Inglewood Club: Ruth Bradbury, Honora Cestigan; Palos Verdes-Redondo Club: Audrey McNeil; Lake-wood Club: Gertrude Groppe. Also present were the following guests of the president, Eleanor Dreher, Torrance: Georgia Smithson, Artesia; Edoloris Tallman, Lawndale; and "Mom" Wilde, Gardena.

Greenthumbers Make Plans

Greenthumbers Garden Club entertained with a pot luck dinner Monday evening, June 20, at the home of Mrs. William Fitzgerald, president. Fourteen members and four guests were present. Guests were Mmes. James O'Brien, William Townsend, William S. Rahn, and Carl Dirreen.

After the dinner, Mrs. Fitzgerald reported on the national convention to be held in Los Angeles in May, 1956, in which the Greenthumbers will participate.

It was also announced that the club had won a third prize in the recent Lomita Flower Show.

Plans for their flower show to be held July 23, were also discussed as well as plans for their bake sale held June 25.

The next meeting of the club is scheduled for July 21 at the home of Mrs. Peter Zeimet at 8:30 p.m. All future meetings are to be held on the third Thursday of each month. Persons interested in joining the club may contact Mrs. Howard Elliot.



GETTING IN THE MOOD . . . for their hilarious Hard Times Dance to be staged by the Torrance JayCettes July 8, at the Moose Hall are, from left, Mrs. Lou C. Karlow, Mrs. Al Kline, and Mrs. John Mangan dressed as "hoboes." There will be a prize for the person wearing the "cleverest" costume. The affair is open to the public. After an evening of dancing, a buffet supper will be served at midnight. Mrs. Mangan is taking reservations for the dance. She has also announced that tickets will be available at the door.

JAYCETTES SET JULY 8 FOR HARD TIMES DANCE

Torrance JayCettes will be hostesses at a "Hard Times" dance to be held Friday evening, July 8, at 9 p.m. at the Moose Hall, 1744 Carson St. The affair is open to the public and all persons are asked to come dressed as "hoboes," however costumes are not necessary. A prize will be awarded to the person wearing the "cleverest" costume.

Dancing will be to modern records and a buffet lunch will be served between 12 and 1 a.m.

Mrs. John Mangan is serving as chairman of the affair. She is being assisted by Mrs. Al Kline, Mrs. Jack Smith, Mrs. Ed Karlow, Mrs. Bob Waters, Mrs. Harold Roberts, Mrs. Howard Percy and Mrs. Gordon Jones.

Persons wishing information may call Mrs. John Mangan. Tickets will be available at the door.

Couron-Diluberto Wedding Solemnized in Long Beach

Adding her name to the list of June brides was Miss Jacqueline Couron who is now Mrs. John Diluberto. The wedding was solemnized at St. Lucy's Catholic Church in Long Beach at 2 p.m. on June 25. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Couron, 1718 Martina Ave. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. B. Diluberto of Long Beach.

For her wedding, the bride wore a floor length gown of white lace and tulle. Her elbow length veil fell from a pearl tiara and she carried a sheath of white carnations centered with white orchids. Mr. Couron escorted his daughter to the altar.

Miss Diane Anderson of Torrance was the maid of honor. Her gown was ballerina length, made of seafoam green crystal-ette. Her bouquet was of pink carnations.

Serving as best man was Tony Mancusi of San Pedro. The Rev. Father Reagan officiated at the marriage.

A reception followed in the church hall and the couple left for a honeymoon in Yosemite. They are now at home at 1714 Martina Ave., Torrance.

The bride was graduated from Torrance High School in 1952. Mr. Diluberto, a graduate of the San Pedro High School, is employed at Douglas Aircraft.

McCabe-Puglia Nuptials Read at St. Catherine's

Mrs. Isabell McCabe, 17422 Kornblum Ave., became the bride of Mario Puglia, last Saturday morning, July 2, at a nuptial mass at St. Catherine Laboure's Catholic Church. The Rev. Father Hollinger officiated at the vow exchange and celebrated the mass.

For her wedding the bride wore a pale blue gown of crystalline and matching tulle hat trimmed with rhinestones. She carried a bouquet of white orchids and stephanotis.

Mrs. Leonard Ciarmoli served as the matron of honor wearing a pink embroidered linen dress with pink accessories. Her bouquet was of pink carnations.

Miss Jean Anne McCabe, daughter of the bride, was the junior bridesmaid. She was in a bouffant gown of pink and blue nylon and carried pink carnations tied with blue ribbon.

Leonard Ciarmoli served as best man.

After the wedding a breakfast was held at a club in Redondo Beach. Saturday evening a reception was held at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Hawthorne.

The couple is now on a weeks vacation in Las Vegas.

Mrs. Puglia has made her home in Torrance for the past four years. She is a member of the Catholic Council in the St. Catherine parish.

Mr. Puglia is in the produce and fruit business. The couple will be at home at 17422 Kornblum, Torrance.

Prior to the wedding, Mrs. Dorothy Sutton, 3747 W. 176th St., entertained at a beautiful shower as a pre-nuptial courtesy for Mrs. Puglia. The guest list was confined to members of the Catholic Council. Refreshments were served from a table holding floral arrangements and cupid decorated the walls. Center of attraction was a white manzanita tree from which wedding bells were hung.



MRS. LADEENE CHAMBERLAIN
... Pilot Club Presy

Ladeene Chamberlain to Be Installed As Pilot Club's First President on July 14

Mrs. Ladeene Chamberlain, administrative secretary to the Mayor and City Manager of Torrance, will be installed as the first president of the newly organized Pilot Club of Torrance at a dinner meeting to be held July 14 at a local restaurant. Mrs. Chamberlain has held her present position for the past seven years. Prior to this she was secretary to the superintendent of a corporation. Mrs. Chamberlain is a graduate of the Torrance High School and the Long Beach Secretarial College. She is a member of the First Christian Church and the ACCENT Theatre. Her husband, Marshall Chamberlain, is bus superintendent for the City of Torrance.

Other first officers to be installed with Mrs. Chamberlain are Marie Louise Owens, first vice president; Leola Cork, second vice president; Peg De Jaire, recording secretary; Clara Dougherty, corresponding secretary and Margery King, treasurer.

Mrs. Hazel Blair, past president of the Pilot Club of Long Beach will conduct the installation which will be attended by representatives from numerous Pilot clubs in the southland.

Speaker for the evening will be Tom Watson, manager of the Torrance Chamber of Commerce.

The club is scheduled to receive its charter, dated June 10, 1955, at its first Charter Night, August 11.

MOTHERS CLUB BOARD MEETS

Mrs. Joseph Condon, newly elected president, was hostess at the first executive board meeting of the Serra Mothers' club, at her home, 443 W. 93rd St. After a luncheon was served, the ground work was laid for the activities for the forthcoming year.

Those present were Mmes. Louis Hastings, Porter Preach, Ray Hejlik, Randall Henely, R. C. Robb, J. G. McGargar, L. S. Pelfrey, W. I. G. Gallimore, Thomas Fichter, William E. Andrews, E. F. Peck, Lee Cossini, Francis Matthews, James W. Larkins, Carl H. Galasso, Giles W. Strader, Myron A. West and Linley Bouse.



ROBERTA STANGER
... August Bride

Roberta Stanger Will Wed Grant Pelphey in August

Mr. and Mrs. Harold B. Stanger, 425 Calle de Aragon, are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Roberta Mae to H. Grant Pelphey Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Grant Pelphey of Inglewood.

A church wedding is being planned for August 21.

Miss Stanger was graduated in June from the Torrance High School where she was a member of the Torrettes, Y-Teens and the scholarship society.

The benedict-elect is a graduate of Inglewood High School, class of 1952, of which he was valedictorian. He also belonged to the scholarship society. He is now attending El Camino Junior College where he is preparing to enter the Southern California School of Pharmacy in February.

Showers for Bride-elect

Miss Patricia McKinnon, who was married to Frank Toyne Saturday was honored at two lovely bridal showers prior to her wedding.

A kitchen shower held at the home of Mrs. Iwana Helms, 2111 W. 177th St. was given by Mrs. Helms assisted by Mrs. Richard Houston and Mrs. James Murphy.

Appropriate games were played after which the bride was presented a shower of gifts. The cake decorated with pink roses and wedding bells was served with other refreshments.

Attending this party were: Mmes. Richard Houston, James Murphy, C. H. Allison, Charles Dobbins, Louis Leven, Louis Rahr, H. Trucks, Robert Dagnoll, Robert Hammond, Lottie Symanski, James Bradbrook, Howard Elkins.

Others were Mrs. George McKinnon, mother of the bride and Miss Karen Herby.

A miscellaneous shower complemented Mrs. Toyne given by Miss Karen Herby at her home, 2114 W. 177th St. At this shower the guests had the pleasure of seeing the bride-elect's wedding gown.

Refreshments followed the bridal games arranged by the hostess.

Shower guests were: Misses Thelma Smith, Valerie Brown, Fabiola Madrigal, Carol Fitzgerald, Betty Basile, Ann Webb, Pam Mansfield, Janice Hood, Eleanor Basilius, and Mmes. C. H. Allison and George McKinnon.

HOUSEGUESTS

Houseguests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Paddy Ryan, 1419 W. 218th St., are Mrs. O. A. Karhu of Seattle, Wash., and Mrs. G. L. Reitz of Eaton, Ohio. The visitors, who are touring the southland, will be at the Ryan home for several weeks.



MRS. JOHN DILUBERTO
... Residing Here

CHURCH GROUP HAS MEETING

Members of the Women's Missionary Society of the Western Avenue Church met Tuesday for their regular monthly meeting.

Mrs. Robert Case of Long Beach was guest speaker. Her subject was "Love Gift." A surprise package was presented to each member.

Ola Taylor presided at the meeting and Ruthie Enrietta was in charge of the program. Mrs. Myrie Westfall gave the invocation.